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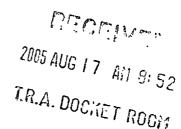
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Ms Thomas,



I am writing you regarding the above-referenced docket concerning the Notice and/or Petition for the Transfer of Control of LDMI Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a/ LDMI Telecommunications also d/b/a Fontel (to Talk America, Inc.) received on Tuesday, June 28, 2005.

Please provide a signed statement and/or verification from both Petitioners, attorneys, or their legal party representatives verifying that the information contained in the Notice and/or Petition is true and correct to their best knowledge, information, and belief.

If you have any questions, or need further assistance, please call me at 615-741-2904, ext. 196 Please respond by sending the original and 13 copies to

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